

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Application for Mediators

Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 1973 I.D. No.: 1258

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 1973 Bar No.: #603

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): \_\_\_\_\_

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations: \_\_\_\_\_  
S.C. Council for Mediation and Alternate Dispute Resolution

Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction where admitted to practice law? XX yes     no

Are you currently the subject of any pending disciplinary proceeding in any jurisdiction?     yes XX no

Have you, within the last 5 years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons or disciplined for professional misconduct?     yes XX no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received 1973 Law School University of S. C.

Other professional degrees received (including year and school) none

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:  
(See attached)

(See attached resume) I have been  
employed by the South Carolina  
Department of Transportation  
since 1973. I have been  
employed as a legal advisor and  
have been a member of the  
South Carolina Bar since 1973.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 90 % or defense 10 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 65 % State 35 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 22

### EXPERTISE

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have expertise. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have expertise. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (e.g. "medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

<u>      </u> Admiralty	<u>  2  </u> Security or Shareholders suits
<u>      </u> Antitrust	<u>      </u> Labor
<u>  1  </u> Contracts (Construction/Business)	<u>      </u> ERISA
<u>      </u> Environment	<u>      </u> Wrongful Termination
<u>      </u> Fraud or Civil RICO	<u>      </u> Civil Rights in Employment
<u>      </u> Insurance	<u>      </u> Other Civil Rights
<u>      </u> Miller Act	<u>      </u> Copyrights
<u>      </u> Personal Injury	<u>      </u> Patent
<u>      </u> Product Liability	<u>      </u> Trademark
<u>      </u> Other (specify) _____	

Publications: \_\_\_\_\_

### MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel in 4 Mediation and numerous arbitrations

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator: Roster S. C. Council for Mediation  
and Alternate Dispute Resolution

Number of mediations conducted: None

### MEDIATION TRAINING

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
Dispute Management, Inc.	Civil Mediation	9/11/94	Columbia, SC	40

**OTHER INFORMATION**

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing mediation conferences in the District of South Carolina?   x   yes        no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

  x   Columbia        x   Charleston             Greenville             Florence  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: \$  150       Minimum charge each mediation: \$  500.00   
How do you bill for travel? (explain):  \$75/hour 

I agree to: (1) Be subject to the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 407, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; to the Rules on Disciplinary Procedure, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; and the Local Rules of the District Court; (2) Provide mediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Court; (3) Notify the Clerk of Court of any change in the above facts or otherwise in my ability to perform duties as a mediator; (4) Disclosure of information contained in this application to litigants and other members of the public.

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature   T. Alexander Beard   Date  3/19/96   
*at*   Thomas A. Beard   Applicant

Return completed application to:  
U.S. District Court  
Mediation  
1845 Assembly Street  
Columbia, SC 29201-2431

Approved:   William B. Crayton   Date  4/18/96   
U.S. District Judge

REPRESENTATIVE LEGAL EXPERIENCE

1. IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COLUMBIA DIVISION  
CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:94-3285-17

(CLASS ACTION)

J. RANDY CRAPS, KATHY D. CRAPS, DAVID B. BOOKHARDT, MARIA B. BOOKHARDT, BRIAN CARRIER, and BONNIE L. CARRIER, on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated.	vs.	JIM WALTER HOMES, INC., AND MID-STATE, INC.
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2. UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TAMPA DIVISION  
  
Chapter 11 Case Nos. 89-9715-8P1 through  
89-9746-8P1, and 90-11997-8P1  
Case No. 95-121

(CLASS ACTION)

In re:

HILLSBOROUGH HOLDINGS CORPORATION, et al		HAROLD E. ANDERSON and DOROTHY BACON, and BENNY D. WREN individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated, and MID-STATE TRUST II and MID-STATE TRUST III.
	Debtors.	
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JIM WALTER HOMES, INC. and MID-STATE HOMES, INC..	vs.	

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA    )  
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COUNTY OF BEAUFORT         )

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
FOR THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
CASE NO. 92-CP-07-2143

(CLASS ACTION)

THE MELROSE CLUB OWNERS  
ASSOCIATION, INC., a  
Corporation, MELROSE  
PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION,  
INC., a Corporation and  
William F. and Norma J.  
Dearborn, Patricia A. and  
Russell Long, Jr., Wilson M.  
and Lynn MacEwen, Daniel F.  
and Carol Parker, James R.  
and Eileen Baynes,  
Individually and on behalf  
of all Melrose Club  
Undivided Unit Owners  
and Melrose Lot Owners.

vs.

MELROSE GROUP LIMITED PARTNER-  
SHIP, THE MELROSE COMPANY, INC.,  
ROBERT T. AND STEPHEN B. KISER,  
JAMES P. COLEMAN, WILLIAM W.  
JONES, SECURITY UNION TITLE  
INSURANCE COMPANY, INC., NATIONS-  
BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA, N.A., et al.

4.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
CHARLESTON DIVISION  
CIVIL ACTION NO: 2:91-3255-2

(MINORITY SHAREHOLDER ACTION)

JANE P. KREISCHER, CHARLES F.  
KREISCHER, EDWIN F. KREISCHER, vs.  
AND BARBARA W. KREISCHER.

THE KERRISON'S DRY GOODS  
COMPANY, EDWIN H. POULNOT,  
III, DALE POULNOT WIDMAN,  
GENE POULNOT RIGGS, DAVID  
LAWRENCE POULNOT, AND JOAN  
HUTCHINSON POULNOT.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA ) IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
 )  
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON ) CASE NO. 92-CP-10-1503

Jack Mills, John R. Parker,  
and Parker Lincoln-Mercury, vs. Michael Dew, Robert Byrd and  
Inc.. Ford Motor Credit Company.

ALLEN-WHITE COMPANY vs. PETER A. OLMSTEAD, PETER ALLEN  
OLSTEAD TRUST, and NANCY FIGGINS  
OLMSTEAD, INDIVIDUALLY and AS A  
TRUSTEE, OLMSTEAD OLDSMOBILE, INC.

8.

AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION  
CASE NO. 31-110-001595

(CONSTRUCTION ARBITRATION)

Royal Jung Manufacturing, LLC vs. Newton Builders, Inc.

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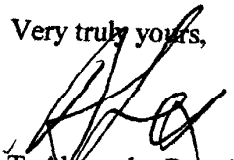
Danny H. Mullis, ADR Program Director  
United States District Court  
P. O. Box 835  
Charleston SC 29402

Dear Mr. Mullis:

This letter is to inform you that I have relocated my law offices to the address listed above. For your convenience, I have enclosed an announcement card with all the pertinent information.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Very truly yours,



T. Alexander Beard

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